

## Kiwanis Completes Successful Year

ACHIEVES UNUSUAL RECORD FOR FIRST YEAR CLUB

Close Year With Christmas Program

The Kiwanis Club of Grayling closed its first year Wednesday with a Christmas program. A lighted Christmas tree and Christmas decorations, on the long table and a live Santa Claus, were the main features of the evening. The club has a group of about 30 members and a professional men. With the air resounding with Christmas carols it certainly did not lack in the festive occasion.

And too, it was the occasion for President Clippert to hand over the gavel of authority to his successor—Emil Giegling. This was the closing of the club's first year and it may be seen by the President's final report that it had been a busy one and a very successful one.

Throughout the year, President Clippert "played ball" with the committees and members and had the support and action in return. The club boasts of 34 members, 29 of whom were present at this meeting. Many new friendships have been made by Grayling people thru the activities of Kiwanis. This means much to Grayling. In this Dr. Clippert played a large part. His wide acquaintance thruout Michigan was a distinct advantage in favor of Grayling club. He made a fine record that could only come by everlastingly keeping the interest of the Club ever foremost in his mind.

And the coming year looks favorable for even greater success. Emil Giegling, the newly elected president, is a high type Kiwanian, the kind who too will give his best efforts for the club. That means hard work and personal sacrifice of time and pleasures.

At the last meeting of the Board of Directors, Mrs. Clippert was voted an honorary membership in the club. That was a cause of her splendid assistance with the music, especially as the pianist.

Three new members were welcomed into the club at this meeting—Emil Niederer, Ernest Hoessli, and William Hill.

### President's Report

The Kiwanis club of Grayling, organized early this year is bringing its first year to a close with a record of remarkable achievement. Its interests and activities have been many and worth-while. A review of these as recorded in the President's address given below will hearten the citizens of this community. This record is not only a source of appreciation in the minds of all, but a promise for the future of this growing organization.

### President's Address

Fellow Kiwanians: We are at the close of our first year, as the Kiwanis Club of Grayling and a successful year it was when you consider the brief instruction that we received. We were then tossed into the middle of the stream as a child, where it was either sink or swim. Thanks to the great guiding spirit who guided the destiny of our club, we have completed a successful year.

A year ago, I accepted the position of trust and responsibility and opportunity without a single delusion as to the problems which were ahead.

Throughout the year there has been only one thought in mind, and that was the welfare of the organization.

In the present period demands equanimity. It is not a time for radical changes or innovations. Steadfastness of purpose, the maintenance of self confidence and a sustained loyalty to the objects and purposes of Kiwanis have characterized our organization and should characterize our policies. Pressing and distressing as are many of our individual worries and situations, faith and courage must not be abandoned. The tension of the times, it is true, tells upon our nervous make-up, and the unreliability of the economic future intensifies unrest.

Reports of various committees will give you a better insight to the excellent work that has been done along the many phases in which we have a direct interest. We are ever conscious of the golden opportunity that is afforded us to serve humanity, the local community, the State and National Government and by such noble service add to the honor, dignity, and prestige of our organization.

It was suggested that we take a vacation in the summer; but, gentlemen, you will recall that an article appeared in the June international Magazine in which it stated that Kiwanis is a going concern. It has been proved over and over again that Kiwanis goes best when it goes fifty-two weeks out of the year. The constitution and by-laws of Kiwanis International requires fifty-two weeks of functioning. Individuals may have vacations but in the life of a Kiwanis Club there is no vacation. It is an all-year around organization.

Time will not permit enumeration of the many things which I should like to direct to your attention. The following is a brief resume of the high lights of the year:

Attendance averaged ..... 61%  
New members ..... 11  
Deleted members ..... 3  
Present membership ..... 38  
Club speakers ..... 13  
Visiting Kiwanian speakers ..... 10  
Visiting guest speakers ..... 18

### Patriotic Activities:

Memorial Day.

Flag Day.

Armistice Day.

Observed birthdays of Presidents Lincoln and Washington.

Observed Army and Navy days.

Entertained American Legion Veterans and Civilian Conservation Corps officers and wives from six surrounding camps on Armistice Day with a banquet and dance.

Constitution Day—Entertained Senior High school class and faculty.

Citizenship: We assisted in actively promoting the exercise of the franchise by all citizens, spring of 1936, succeeded in adding 250 votes to the register.

Kiwanis Objective: Organized Boy Scout Troops—provided leadership.

Donated funds to Boy Scouts. Organized Glee Club.

Contributed to the underprivileged children with a donation of \$25.00.

Accomplished our quota of new members.

Miscellaneous: Sponsored Father and Son banquet. Speaker—Judge Chaplin.

Entertainment of Civilian Conservation Corps boys from four camps with Field events and refreshments on Decoration Day.

Entertained Staff Officers of 32nd Division, Michigan National

Guard.

Hallowe'en party for school children on behalf of boy scouts.

Entertained personnel of cast in "Hollywood Bound" who gave a play for benefit of boy scouts.

Sponsored public address "Mental Hygiene" by Dr. Philip Sheets.

Public Affairs: Committee appointed to boost Fish Hatchery project.

Petition to City Council to plant trees to beautify streets.

Endorsed Taft Highway memorial.

Sent delegates to Mt. Pleasant meeting for beautification of highway US 27.

Kiwanis will soon enter a new year with a new spirit. What does Kiwanis see ahead in the shifting shapes of fog? Visibility is still low, but, we, as a whole, are rebuilding, not upon the ruins of materialism but upon the foundations that have endured through the ages—faith, hope and love.

Every member should be actually engaged in committee work. While educating new members, we must not overlook the necessity of educating or re-educating old members. Many important plans and projects for 1936 are under consideration, by the various committees and the organization as a whole. I bring but one of these to your attention.

Vocational Guidance Committee: Recommend the co-operation of the school authorities as absolutely essential to the success of a club vocational guidance program.

Presentation of medals to students making exceptional progress in work during four years proves attractive and valuable.

Recommend prizes, scholarships and contests pertaining to educational work.

Recommend beautification of city; establishing a playground.

Farmer organization nights to promote better relations with rural population.

Now in closing, I do not need to request your support to your President-Elect as it will be forthcoming 100% and I wish him and the Club the utmost success, happiness and prosperity for the year 1936.

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# Here Again!



YOU wonder if there is a Santa Claus,  
You've never seen him, you say?  
Child, he's been traveling over the world  
For two thousand years and a day.  
Haven't you found his spinning tops,  
His dolls and his round red drums?  
Then certain it is that once a year  
The King of the Far North comes!

this. They will be welcome to the theatre but must pay their way.

So, Kiddies, don't forget to remind mother and dad that you want to be at Grayling's big Christmas party next Tuesday afternoon. And don't be late.

## Christmas Cantata To Be Sung Sunday

A Christmas cantata entitled "The Christ-Child" will be sung at a Vesper Service on Sunday, afternoon, December 22nd, at five o'clock at the Michelson Memorial Church. The story of the birth of the Christ-child will be told in song at this candle-light service.

The presentation is under the direction of Mrs. C. G. Clippert, Director of Music at the church. The singers and orchestra will be accompanied by Miss Ruth McNeven at the organ and Mrs. Clippert at the piano.

and young people, will participate in the program, accompanied by the orchestra.

Members of the choir are Mrs. Frank Bond, Carl Hanson, Herbert Gothro, Ernest Hoessli, Harold Jarmin, Walter Johnson, Roy Milnes, Harry Souder, Stanley Stealy and June Underwood; Miss Helen Babbitt; Messrs. Edward Brigham, Arthur Clark, Donald and Kenneth Gothro, Harold Jarmin, Howard Schmidt, O. P. Schumann, and C. E. Webb. The orchestra will be composed of Mrs. Emil Niederer, George Olson and Messrs. Arthur Clark, Ed Clark, Samuel Gust and Donald Young.

Every one is cordially invited to this program of music, which promises to be a source of inspiration and the spirit of Christmas. There will be no charge for admission. A free-will offering will be received to help with the cost of presentation, which includes the provision of costumes for all of the carolers.

All but Some People  
Every living thing has some way of expressing cheerfulness: birds sing, dogs wag the tail.

## Cong'man Woodruff Given Reception

WILL MEET FRIENDS AT HOTEL TONIGHT

Congressman Roy Woodruff arrived in Grayling today and dropped in to call on some of his old friends and to meet new ones.

Tonight at Shoppenagons Inn a dinner is being served in his honor and no doubt Mr. Woodruff will be called upon for a talk. Everyone who wishes to do so is urged to attend. And all who wish to remain for the banquet are invited. Tickets are 75 cents.

This was arranged so that as many as possible may have the opportunity to meet Mr. Woodruff. In a few days he will return to take up his congressional duties in Washington. There may be matters to take up with our congressman and this gives the people an opportunity to do so. There is hardly a week that

## Big Crew At Winter Sports Park

HOPE TO BE OPEN FOR PLAY IN HOLIDAYS

A crew of men have been busy getting Grayling's winter sports park in readiness for cold weather and snow, when the big toboggan slides, skating rink, and other features will again be humming with the purr of steel runners.

Local business men have been asked to make up a fund of \$1,000 with which to put the park in condition and for the expense of maintaining it and for special park features.

Winter sports spirit is running high and everyone is looking forward to another big year. And besides outsiders, including many of our summer citizens, are looking forward to the time when they may again enjoy winter sports in a way that they like to do so. They know that at Grayling they don't have to stand on the sidelines and watch others play, but they can take part in the sport, for here "Everybody Plays."

Carnival dates have been set for January 24, 25 and 26th. At that time special entertaining features will be offered, appropriate to this form of amusement, by amateurs and professionals. This is always a big feature of the winter season in Grayling. But for those who wish to enjoy winter sports over the week ends, it is the plan to have the park in operation at those times. Already excursion trains are being arranged for to bring people here on Sundays, and Roy Trudgen, president of the Winter Sports, Inc., says that his committees intend to see to it that we are always prepared to give the people what they want, weather permitting.

## NORTHERN "C" CONFERENCE BASKETBALL STANDINGS

	W	L	Pct.
Grayling	2	0	1000
East Jordan	2	0	1000
Boyer City	1	0	1000
Gaylord	1	1	500
Kalkaska	0	2	000
Mancelona	0	2	000
Harbor Springs	0	1	000
Charlevoix	0	0	000

### Games Played

Gaylord 21; Mancelona 8.  
Boyer City 20; Gaylord 16.  
Grayling 23; Harbor Springs 19.  
Grayling 34; Kalkaska 2.  
East Jordan 44; Kalkaska 8.  
East Jordan 36; Mancelona 18.  
Compiled by J. A. Quinn, Conference secretary Harbor Springs.

passes but what we have had to take up matters with Mr. Woodruff while he is in Washington, and those who haven't met him before should do so while he is in our city.

## Rialto Theatre

### PROGRAM

Saturday, Dec. 21st (Only)

Big Double Feature

No. 1—Boris Karloff  
In

"THE BLACK ROOM"

No. 2—Cary Grant and Gertrude Michael  
In

"THE LAST OUTPOST"

Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday, Dec. 22-23-24

Sunday Show continuous from 3:00 P. M. to Closing.

William Powell and Rosalind Russell  
In

"RENDEZVOUS"

Novelty Movietone News

Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 25-26

Wednesday Show continuous from 3:00 p. m. to Closing.

Jack Haley and Johnny Downs  
In

"CORONADO"

Comedy News Flashes  
Novelty

Friday and Saturday, Dec. 27-28

DOUBLE FEATURE PROGRAM

No. 1—Nancy Carroll and George Murphy  
In

"AFTER THE DANCE"

No. 2—Tim McCoy  
In

"LAW OF THE RANGE"

"THE RANGER"

## Greetings to Our Friends and Customers



THE clock strikes. . . Christmas in the home has begun.  
The throng is homeward bound. . . to loved ones. . . to share in their joys and happiness. We join the throng and await the dawn of the year's happiest morning. . . But not until we add our voice to the chorus of "Merry Christmas to one and all."

### SPECIAL CHRISTMAS DINNER

Turkey and Chicken, 12: 00 o'clock to 2:00 o'clock.



Shoppenagons  
Cocktail Room

# MERRY CHRISTMAS



Greetings on your arrival in the happy harbor of Christmas. May much good cheer await you at this pleasant port and as you set out on time's tide for the future may your ship find each day a rolling billow to drive her o'er a prosperous sea of health and plenty.

**Ahman & Rehkopf**  
Plumbing and Heating



Although the universe is filled with millions of stars, none can vie in fame with the star that guided the Three Wise Men of the East through the night to a tiny manger in Bethlehem. And just as it brought to the world a message of peace and good will, we want this greeting to carry to you and all your friends our appreciation of the happiness your friendship has brought to us, and with it our wishes that this Christmas may bring to you all the joy, health and happiness that you could desire.

**Michelson Memorial Church**  
Edgar Flory, Minister

## Our Best WISHES for HAPPINESS



Even as the bonds of friendship are strengthened at this Holiday Season so may our business associations grow in mutual accord and confidence. With Best Wishes for Christmas and a Happy New Year.

**SORENSEN'S FURNITURE STORE**



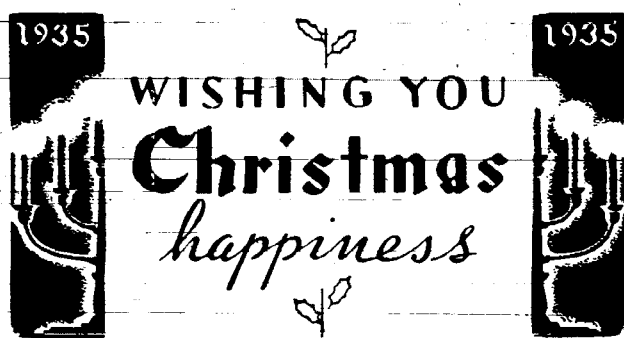
We send to you—the high regard in which we treasure your friendship and loyal patronage—the good wishes we would like to convey in person and the hope that you may have a right Merry Christmas filled with all things good.

**CASH & CARRY STORE**  
Minnie Hartley, Propr.



As you go home to your own fireside on Christmas Eve, carry with you among the many good wishes that you have received, our own message of friendship and good cheer.

**MAC & GIDLEY**



**Grayling State Savings Bank**

Esbern Hanson, Pres. John Bruun, Vice Pres., and Manager.  
Margrethe Nielsen, Cashier.



Whether it's a White Christmas—or a Green One  
May it be a Merry One.

**Schweitzer & Wilson**



May this Christmas tide bring you the blessings of happiness, and may the golden riches of friendship bind us in happy association throughout the coming year.

**The Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Co.**



**J. F. COOK**  
D. D. S.



It is our sincere wish that this Christmas may be one made of dreams come true—one that is wholly glad—really the best you and yours have ever had.

**HENDRICKSON'S**  
Tailor and Dry Cleaner



We know no truer word—no song—no poem that expresses our sentiments better than a simple Merry Christmas and God Bless You!

**Redson & Cooley**



When all the good wishes expressed by your friends have been summed up—just remember that our wish is that every one of these wishes may come true.

**Plaza Grill**



Like a warm, true handclasp our thoughts at this Holiday season reach out to you in wishing you all the joyousness of the Christmas Season.

**Tiny's Beauty Parlor**

Harley Russell, Propr.  
Phone 160 Permanents



**PETER LOVELY BAKERY**

May this Christmas be the brightest you have ever known—may it be a season of plenty and joy.

# MERRY CHRISTMAS



Our Sincere Good Wishes

Valuable assets cannot all be shown in figures. Among our most valued assets are the good will and friendship of our patrons. The spirit of the season brings to us renewed appreciation of old associations and the value of new friends. May your Christmas be very happy is the wish of

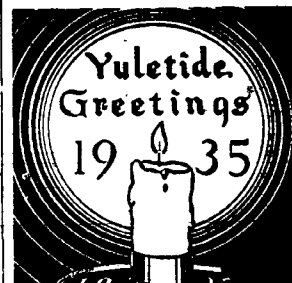
**PARSONS & WAKELEY**  
SERVICE STATION  
Standard Oil



WISHING ALL A  
MERRY CHRISTMAS

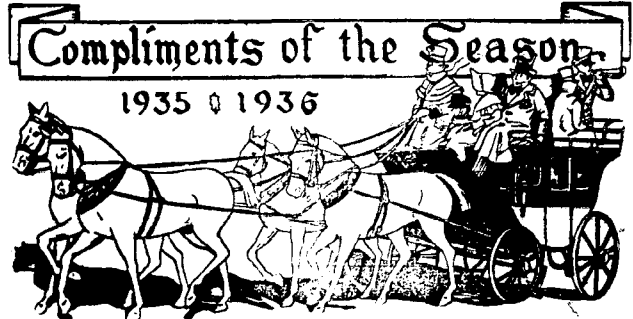
To those whose Friendship has meant so much to us we extend the Season's Greetings.

**A. S. BURROWS**  
MARKET  
Phone 2



Because we cannot see each of you personally we take this way of sending our Christmas Greeting and Best Wishes for a Happy Holiday Season.

**C. O. McCullough**  
Shoe Repairing  
Over 50 Years Experience



**KERRY & HANSON**  
FLOORING COMPANY



Wishing You Health and Happiness

Now listen, old friends,  
It's Christmas today,  
And it doesn't matter  
What other folks say—

To us it is jolly  
And merry and gay,  
Because folks like you  
Have made it that way!

**BLACKIE'S TAVERN**



Health and  
Happiness  
Our  
Wish  
to You

Just to greet our friends, to extend good wishes, to thank them for past kindnesses and

to wish them as we wish you —Life's Best in a Very Merry Christmas.

**TATRO GROCERY**



**EMIL NIEDERER**

Ice and  
Coal

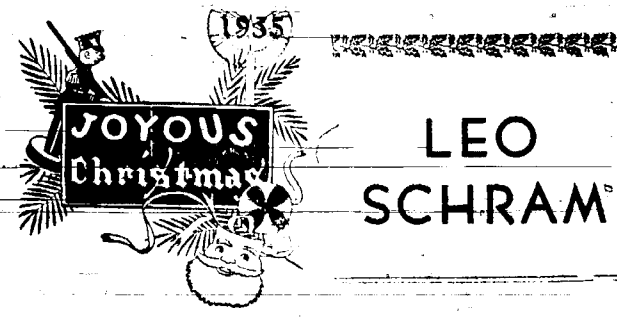
It's with sincere pleasure and cordial good will that we wish you a Merry Christmas.

Prompt Delivery

Phone 57



**Drs. Keyport & Clippert**



JOYOUS  
Christmas

**LEO SCHRAM**

Year after year it's the same old greeting, but time makes that greeting no less sincere, and so we again send our message wishing you a Merry Christmas and Abundant Happiness.

**SINCLAIR PRODUCTS**



It's been good—mighty good to know you and do business with you. We've enjoyed serving you during the year and now sincerely wish that this Christmas season will find you happy and prosperous.

**HANSON CAFE**



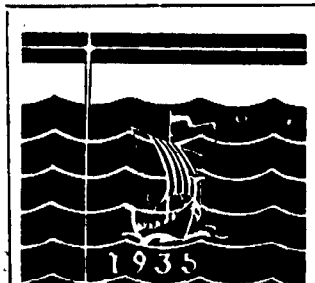
Wishing  
All A  
Merry Christmas

Weather does not matter if hearts are warm and we can again wish our old friends A Very Merry Christmas

**AU SABLE DAIRY**

Mrs. Ethel Kinnee, Propr.

Phone 140



YULETIDE CHEER

May this joyous Christmas season be but a forerunner of the happiness and prosperity that will be yours throughout the year.

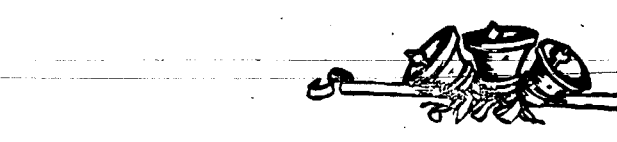
**Carl's Barber Shop**



Yuletide Greetings

As Christmas rolls around our thoughts revert gratefully to those who have made possible our progress. We extend our heartiest greetings.

**Edward Gierke**  
HI-SPEED STATION



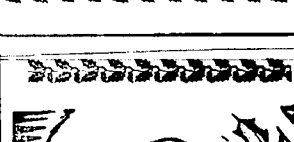
Merry Christmas to You

The True Christmas Spirit is not found in the glittering tinsel of the Yule tree, but in

the true expressions of good will and friendship the season brings. And may we add to

the many you will receive our own greeting and hope that peace, prosperity and happiness will be yours.

**MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE CO.**



GREETINGS

To our faithful old friends and our cherished new friends we tender HEARTY CHRISTMAS GREETINGS.

**Earl Nelson**

**CRAWFORD AVALANCHE**  
O. F. Schumann, Owner and Pub.

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Many newspapers have been quick to couple the Standard Oil Company with oil matters in Ethiopia and Italy. They fail to state, however, which Standard Oil company they thus accuse. There are many Standard Oil Companies, each independent of the other. This is true of the Standard Oil Company of Indiana which is in no way involved in the international oil situation. Michigan consumers are served by the Indiana company.

**MADE NEW FRIENDS**

The Grand Rapids Press,  
Grand Rapids, Mich.  
December 10, 1935

Mr. O. F. Schumann,  
Grayling, Michigan  
Dear Mr. Schumann:

I want to express my sincere appreciation of the hospitality and good will shown me on my jaunt into your section of the state last week, and for the things you contributed toward making my journey a most pleasant one.

I feel that I have made a number of new and charming friends in northeastern Michigan, as well as renewing acquaintance with several old ones, and I shall look forward with a great deal of pleasure to my next visit in your district.

With sincere good wishes, I am  
Cordially,  
Ben East,  
Outdoor Editor.

**Personals**

Mrs. Albert Knibbs is ill at her home.

20 to 30% OFF on shoes at Olson's Shoe Sale.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burke returned Thursday from a trip to Detroit and Toledo.

Mr. and Mrs. Foryst Barber drove to Traverse City Saturday where they spent the day.

Virginia Scott will leave Sunday for Bay City, where she will spend the Christmas holiday.

Elmer Fenton visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marius Hanson in Gaylord, Sunday.

Mrs. Everett Desy and Mrs. Willard Cornell drove to Bay City Tuesday, and spent the day.

Have you seen the new line of men's Christmas boxed shirts at Sam's Toggery Shop? \$1.19 to \$1.95.

F. Fletcher, of Lansing, was a dinner guest, Friday evening, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Scott.

Mrs. Holger Schmidt and son Devere have gone to Rochester, Minn., to visit her son, Harold Schmidt.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Chalker spent Sunday at Gaylord, guests of their daughter, Mrs. Hugh Campbell.

Wrinkle-proof wool ties; latest collegiate style.—Sam's Toggery Shop.

Eddie Bugby is carrying his right hand in sling as the result of running a scissor into it. The wound became infected.

Bud Bearss, of Camp AuSable, left for his home at Grand Rapids, Friday, having secured employment at the Corduroy Rubber Co.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Trevegno of Cadillac have been spending a few days here with their daughter, Mrs. Harry J. Connine.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Richmond, of Higgins Lake, left yesterday for a month's trip to Bay City, Detroit, Pontiac and St. Charles.

See our line of silk and wool Scarfs, before you buy. Priced 50c to \$2.50. Every scarf in Christmas box.—Sam's Toggery Shop.

A full line of men's and boys sweaters.—Sam's Toggery Shop.

Leave orders now for poultry for Christmas.—Burrows Market.

Miss Grace Parker, of Lansing, will arrive Saturday to spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Parker.

Mrs. Charles Corwin is spending some time at Flint, at the home of her son, Everett Corwin, helping to care for the new granddaughter.

Mrs. M. A. Bates left Monday to spend the winter in Pontiac and Grand Rapids, expecting later to spend some time in the east visiting relatives.

Tom Brown has been enjoying a ten-day furlough from his duties at a CCC camp at Big Bay, Mich., visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Brown.

Enna Jettick and Ped-Eze arch Slippers for women at \$3.75, at Olson's Shoe Sale.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Gothro and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rasmussen attended the funeral of Charles Sergey, held Friday at the Salting school house near Gaylord.

L. G. Weston, Barney Hewitt, J. W. McLaughlin, and Mr. McFarland, of Caro, spent the week end at the home of the former's uncle, Henry Jordan, and enjoyed hunting.

Mrs. Bruce Greenbury, son Donald and daughter Patsy Jean, of Detroit, spent the week end here, coming to help celebrate the birthday anniversary of their cousin, Bobby Ryan.

Miss Lillian Jordan spent Saturday at Saginaw at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schenck. She was accompanied home by her father, Henry Jordan, who spent Sunday at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Babbitt and children, accompanied by Mrs. Frank Barber, of Roscommon, are spending the remainder of this week visiting relatives and friends at Bay City and Flint.

Mrs. Marie Mallinger, son Joseph and daughter Marie, of Higgins Lake, left Wednesday for Saginaw to accompany home Miss Katherine Mallinger, who will come home to spend the holidays.

Dr. C. J. Hathaway of Pontiac made his regular visit here this week to take care of his optical patients. He was accompanied by Mrs. Hathaway who enjoyed the time with the E. G. Clark family.

Miss Doris Ludwig returned Sunday to her home at Detroit after visiting for some time at the home of William Wiess. Her brothers, Robert, James and Tom Ludwig drove up for the week end and to accompany her home.

Miss Elaine McDonnell had as her guests over the week end Misses Frances and Eleanor Larson, Harold Wilson and Johnny Collister, of Detroit. They were accompanied here by Clayton McDonnell, who had been visiting at Detroit for two weeks.

Mrs. Sigwald Hanson of Mt. Pleasant spent the forepart of the week here, guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Peterson. Mrs. Peterson accompanied her home Wednesday and will bring home her daughter Miss Jean, who is coming for the holiday vacation from C.S.T.C.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mallinger, of Higgins Lake, were hosts to their pinocle club, Saturday evening. After a pleasant evening Mrs. Mallinger served a very delicious lunch. Table decorations were nicely carried out in Christmas colors and the lunch itself was in holiday style. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rockefeller, of Roscommon, were guests of the club. Prizes for pinocle were won by Mrs. Irving Sheple and Herbert Prich. The greatest attraction of the evening was the Christmas tree which had been decorated especially for the occasion. Gifts were exchanged by the members.

Hundreds of women's slippers and oxfords at \$1.79, at Olson's Shoe Sale.

Just one portable typewriter in stock and more are hard to get at this time of the year. If interested, come quick. Avalanche Office.

**Give Furniture For Christmas****Occasional Chairs**

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**\$6.25 up****72 Pieces**

of glasses, silver and china. A gift anyone will appreciate.



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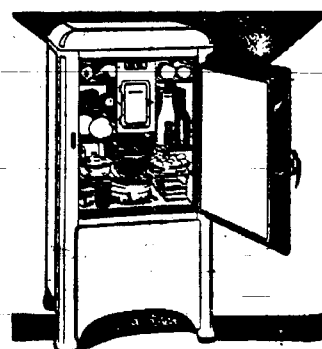
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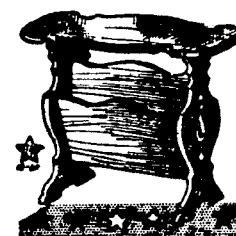
You will find our line complete. Call and see how much your Xmas dollar will buy.

**Leonard Refrigerators**

Make an ideal Christmas Gift.



Your Ice Box is your down payment. Ask us about our Easy Payment Plan.

**End Tables**

A large variety to choose from. You can give nothing finer than one of these beautiful walnut tables.

**\$1.25 up****Give A Radio**

Call at our store and see the new Zeniths.

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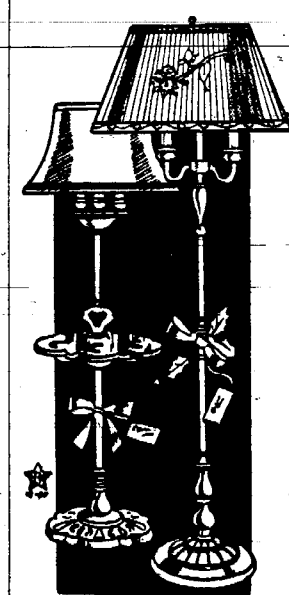
May be used anywhere. An ideal Xmas Gift.

**\$1.35****Table Lamps****\$5.25****Smokers**

A gift any man will appreciate. Call early and make your selection.

**\$3.25 up****Sleepy Hollow Chair****Give Her A Cedar Chest**

These chests carry the famous Lane insurance policy against moths **\$15.00 up**

**Floor and Bridge Lamps****\$5.75 up**

Visit our store. You will find gifts for any member of the family at a Very Reasonable Price.

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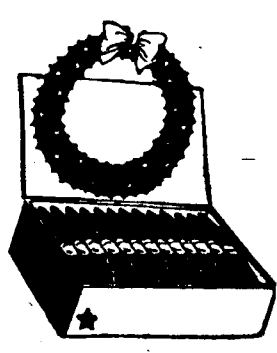
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**Want Ads**

**FOR RENT**—Furnished home, or young couple to share home with reliable couple. Mrs. Theo. Leslie, Grayling.

**LOST**—Off auto trailer, Friday evening, Dec. 13. Kitchen cabinet, and bale of hay, between Grayling and Beaver Creek. Finder please notify Dominick Galvani, Grayling. 12-21-1

**CHICKENS**—Order nice young chickens dressed for Christmas or New Years, 4 1/2 to 7 pounds. Phone 75-F5. Earl Wood. 12-2

**WANTED**—3,000 cords Basswood and Poplar Excelsior bolts. F. O. Barden & Son, Boyne City. 11-7-3

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**WE PAY HIGHEST prices for** timber—Jackpine, spruce, balsam, tamarack, hemlock, cedar, norway and white pine pulp or building logs. Will buy on stump or as cut in woods. Pulp delivered in cars at our factory \$5.50 per 4-ft. cord (peeled). Pulp delivered on bank at our factory \$5.15 per 4-ft. cord (peeled). Building logs delivered at our factory up to 3 cents per lineal foot. Communicate with us for contract. Phone Grayling 162. National Log Construction Co., Grayling, Mich.

**First Route of White Men**  
El Camino Real, between San Diego and San Francisco, was the first route of white men up the Pacific coast, when it was trod by Portola and his company of explorers in 1769.

**No Native Ohio Indians**  
There were no native Ohio Indians. All were migrants from other parts of the country.

**Gifts that Last**

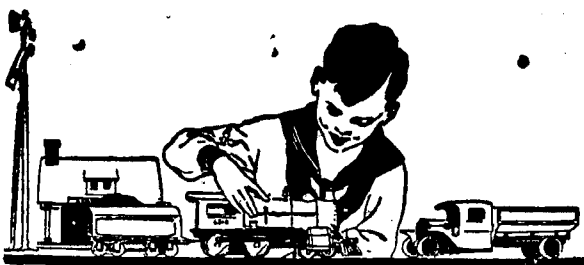
We have them—guaranteed goods at lowest prices.

LOOK OVER OUR STOCK OF—

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Sensible  
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Everything In Hardware

## GOOD THINGS TO EAT FOR Christmas

### Specials

GRANULATED SUGAR, 25 lb. sack	\$1.32
WHITE HOUSE COFFEE, lb.	21c
WHITE HOUSE COFFEE, 3 lbs.	62c
CIRCLE W. COFFEE, lb.	15c
PUMPKIN, lg. can	9c
PUMPKIN, spiced, can	10c
SAUERKRAUT, lg. can	9c
CORN, can	9c
PEAS, can	7c
MIXED NUTS, lb.	19c
WALNUTS, lb.	26c and 19c
PEANUTS, 2 lbs.	25c
FANCY CHOCOLATE CANDY, 5 lb. box	79c
APPLES, pk.	20c
DILL PICKLES, qt.	14c
SWEET PICKLES, qt.	23c
PICKLES, small glass	5c
SARDINES, 6 cans	25c
WHITE NAPHTHA SOAP, 11 bars for	25c
CLEAR EASY SOAP, 10 bars for	35c
PEARS, lg. can	17c
TOMATOES, lg. can	11c
TOMATOES, medium can	8c
PEACHES, lg. can	17c
PEACHES, fancy Gold Bar, lg. can	19c
BUTTER, lb.	37c
LARD, lb.	17c and 15c

Thanks to all you folks for the patronage you have given us and the true friendship extended to us throughout the Year.

Our sincere wish is that the Christmas finds you well, prosperous and happy.

NICK.

At . . . **Nick's**  
The Pure Food Store  
No Delivery . . . No Credit

## LOCALS

THURSDAY, DEC. 19, 1935

This is fine Christmas weather.  
Buy Interwoven hose for men at Olsons.

Phone Sam Rasmussen at 73R for Christmas trees. All sizes. Pick out your own if you like.

John Gross was admitted to Mercy Hospital Tuesday, where he is receiving medical treatment.

Christmas trees for sale. All sizes. Prompt delivery. Phone 73R or call at home. Sam Rasmussen.

Chinaware makes a lovely Christmas gift. We have a nice line of imported china at reasonable prices, at Cooley's Gift Shop.

Don't forget the party at the Ford show rooms in the Burke Garage Friday night, Dec. 20. Everybody welcome. Baked goods, fowl and Christmas gifts.

Grayling merchants are showing some fine lines of Christmas goods that will appeal to all Christmas shoppers. Look around at some of the fine window displays, then go inside and see the many things that are offered.

Nineteen members of the Legion, in a body, attended the funeral of Charles Bergey that was held from the Salling school house near Gaylord Friday. Rev. Edgar Flory officiated at the services at the cemetery. There were other friends from Grayling in attendance also.

Louis Jewell, of Cheboygan, age 38, passed away Saturday at Mercy Hospital, following a lingering illness, suffering from tuberculosis of the spine. The remains were removed to the Sorenson Funeral chapel until Sunday when they were taken to his home for burial.

Dr. Lillian Smith of the State Health department gave a very interesting talk at the regular monthly child welfare meeting held at the Legion hall, Thursday afternoon. Refreshments were served by the Legion Auxiliary. There was a good sized crowd of ladies present.

In order to make it possible for Bay Trust Company, Assignee, to pay a liquidating dividend of 7% right at Christmas time to the depositors of the defunct Bank of Grayling, the Grayling State Savings Bank has made an advance of \$7,800.00 without interest. Depositors certainly will appreciate this accommodation by our local bank.

Two beautifully lighted trees, one at the intersection of Peninsular and Michigan avenues and the other on Michigan avenue near Norway, make the main thoroughfare a pretty sight at night. With the boulevard lamps vari-colored and a Christmas tree in front of most of the business places, Grayling has truly caught the Christmas spirit.

Ray Papendick and family have moved into their new home which they have just completed at Beaver Creek. Sunday, they celebrated with a house warming and had with them Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Papendick, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Papendick, and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Annis, and their families. The occasion was also in honor of the 67th birthday anniversary of Mrs. Louisa Papendick. A very delicious dinner was enjoyed and the guests presented the guest of honor with many lovely gifts.

Wishing you a merry Christmas.

Men's Dress Oxfords as low as \$1.85, at Olson's Shoe Sale.

Ladies and girls Scarf and Cap sets, from 59c to \$1.25. Wool Mittens and Sport Sox to match in bright colors. Ski Pants and Snow Suits moderately priced, at Cooley's Gift Shop.

The Christmas party for the children of the catechism classes of St. Mary's church will be held at the Ford show rooms in the Burke Garage, Sunday afternoon, beginning at 3:00 o'clock.

Holger Schmidt celebrated his birthday anniversary. Monday, and in the evening, was surprised by receiving a long-distance telephone call from his brother, Hans Schmidt, located at Los Angeles, Calif., who called to wish him a happy birthday. Mr. Schmidt says that the line was very clear and he could hear his brother very plainly.

In order that children may be in bed early on Christmas Eve and adults may be free to spend most of the evening in their homes, the Christmas program given by the Church School at the Michelson Memorial Church on Christmas Eve will begin promptly at 7:30 and end before nine o'clock. Let this program with its recitation, songs, and beautiful pageant lead you into the Christmas spirit.

The Friday club met last week at the home of Mrs. Edwin Chalker. Keno was enjoyed with Mrs. Middle LaMotte, Mrs. Ben Pankow, Mrs. Rudolph Feldhauser, Mrs. Luther Herrick and Mrs. Louis Malonen winning the prizes. The club helped to celebrate the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Carrie Feldhauser. Besides being honored with two lovely birthday cakes, Mrs. Feldhauser was presented with a beautiful bouquet of cut flowers. Guests of the club were Mrs. Luther Herrick, Mrs. Middle LaMotte and Mrs. John Charlefour.

Music lovers will enjoy the Christmas cantata to be given Sunday night, December 22nd at Michelson Memorial church. Mrs. Clippert, director, and members of the choir have been working hard on this feature for several weeks and its going to be a fine Christmas-season treat for everyone. And the choir will be augmented by a chorus of 45 young people, all in choir gowns, presenting Christmas carols. It is your privilege to enjoy this fine presentation if you care to do so. All are welcome. Begins at 8 o'clock Sunday evening.

Give her Hose for Christmas. Nicely boxed in all the new shades. Sheer Chiffon, from 79c to \$1.00, at Cooley's Gift Shop.

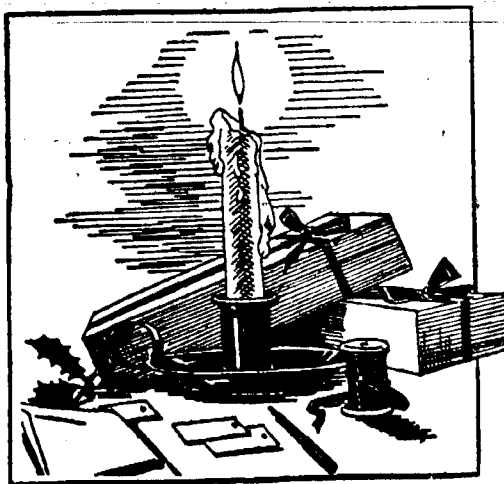
CHARITY BALL WILL BE - FINE AFFAIR

Merely the announcement that the Hospital Aid are to give their annual charity ball is sufficient for this community to know that a very lovely party will be given at the high school gym New Years Eve (Dec. 31).

Arrangements have been going on for some time. Committees are preparing to make this party one of the peppiest Grayling people have enjoyed in some years.

Scott Campbell's orchestra of Traverse City will furnish the music. This orchestra comes highly recommended. As 1935 fades out and 1936 comes in there will be plenty of joy and fun for all.

Tickets will be \$1.00 per couple. So plan to spend your New Years with the crowd, for they will all be at the ball.



## CHRISTMAS SEALS—RIBBONS—PAPERS

No matter how extensive the stock of Christmas seals, pasters, ribbons, cards, decorations, tissues, wrappers, Christmas boxes, etc., the lines are usually depleted days before gift night. We therefore suggest you see our brand new stocks now and make early selections. Unique and colorful designs are now available.

## Central Drug Store

Phone 1

C. W. Olsen, Prop.

## GIFTS FOR ALL - 1935



## Christmas Gifts and Values Galore

Only a few days left until Christmas, and for the late Shoppers, we still have plenty of practical Gifts.

Everything for every member of the family, and as always, you will find a good selection.



TO OUR many friends and patrons we extend at this time, our wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

## GRAYLING MERCANTILE CO.

The Quality Store Phone 125

## Church News

Michelson Memorial Church  
A Community Church

Sunday, December 22nd  
10:00—Church School. Classes for every one.

10:30—Adult class.

11:00—Christmas Worship service. Sermon: "Room in the Inn."

5:00—Candlelight Vesper Service, with presentation of a Christmas cantata entitled "The Christ-Child."

Christmas Eve, Tuesday, Dec. 24th, 7:30

The annual Christmas program given by the Church School. The first half of the program will be presented by the children of the third grade and under, directed by Mrs. Funk. The second half will consist of a pageant dramatized by the children and young people of the fourth grade and over.

Every one participating in the program is requested to be at the church at seven o'clock, in order that there be no delay and the service begin promptly at 7:30 and close before nine o'clock.

There will be no charge for admission, but a White Gift offering will be received for the benefit of the Children's Home in Detroit.

Every one is cordially invited. Surely Christmas will mean more to us if we share in the religious celebration of the season.

Were it not for Christ, we would have no Christmas. Then let us observe it by worshipping Him in some church.

### CHRISTMAS-CHEER PARTY FOR LITTLE ONES

A sparkling, cheery Christmas party was given by the Women's Club for little guests at Michelson Memorial church Monday evening.

Each member took as their guest a child between six and ten years of age.

A delightful program on a mythical radio from station X.M.A.S. was given, followed by the appearance of Santa Claus who distributed gifts from a beautifully lighted tree.

The party finished up with a lunch served from tables centered with miniature Christmas trees and guarded by red candles.

Mrs. Dorr was chairman of program; Mrs. Gerald Poor of decorations and Mrs. Jess Sales of lunch.

Plenty of Stars  
Although there are tons of thousands of stars in the night sky, not more than 25 have ever been seen by man's eye in competing their position at sea.—Cotton's Weekly.



Roses, Chrysanthemums, Carnations, Sweet Peas, and Snapdragons for Christmas. Also Begonias, Primroses and Christmas Cherry Plants.

ORDER EARLY

## Grayling Greenhouses

Grayling, Michigan

## Merry Christmas

Dad will appreciate receiving any of these gifts for his auto.

Electric and Vacuum Frost Fans	Radiator Fronts
Defrosters	Tires
Tire Chains and Cross Chains	Freezone
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## J. E. Schoonover

Buick and Pontiac Sales and Service

You'll enjoy reading the Christmas Ads

## Our Christmas Wish



The holiday season presents a pleasant opportunity to express our appreciation of your friendship. May our service prove to be a factor in the prosperity we wish for you during 1936.

## Grayling Box Company

## LOCALS

T. J. Wells has purchased a DeLuxe Fordor of last year's model from the Burke Garage.

20% OFF on Freemans, Bostonian and Florsheim oxfords, at Olson's Shoe Sale.

Miss Edith Collins, daughter of Mose Collins, of South Branch visited friends here Saturday.

Be on hand for the Winter Sports benefit dance to be held at the School Gym, Dec. 20th, immediately after the basketball game. Music by the Poki-Dots.

A special Christmas dinner of turkey and chicken will be served at Snoppenagons Inn from 12:00 o'clock to 2:00 o'clock.

New cars purchased recently from the Burke Garage are a Deluxe touring Fordor sedan, by George Olson; a Deluxe Tudor by William Hill; a Standard coupe by Lourist Anderson; a Ford truck by Claude Manier, of Gaylord, and a Ford truck to Stewart Cook, of Hillman.

Twenty friends of Mrs. Axel Peterson gathered at her home Saturday evening to help her celebrate her birthday anniversary, giving her a pleasant surprise. The evening was spent playing pinochle and keno, prizes being won by Mrs. Eugene Papendick and Frank Serven. After a very pleasant evening a pot luck lunch was served. Decorations were carried out in green and brown. Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. William Bromwell, of Lake Leelanau. Mrs. Peterson received many lovely gifts.

## 'Christmas Seal Them First, Sir'



**EVEN** Joe Busolite, center on Michigan State College's great football team, has to Christmas seal his mail, declares Miss Peggy Sharpe, Michigan State coed, as she shares his way to the mail box until he has purchased 1935 tuberculosis Christmas seals. Joe's pennies will help to finance the Michigan Tuberculosis Association's fight against the disease during the coming year.

For young adults in Michigan between the ages of 20 and 40, tuberculosis is still the principal cause of death. This condition exists in spite of the fact that medical science has now advanced to a point where tuberculosis could be wiped out, if a widespread knowledge of the modern weapons that are being used to combat the disease could be brought to the general public. The modern weapons

F. J. Mills spent Sunday visiting at Bellaire.

Miss Margrethe Nielsen spent the week end in Saginaw.

Leave orders now for poultry for Christmas.—Burrows Market.

Bill Wythe spent Sunday at Battle Creek visiting his mother, Mrs. Susie Magoun.

See our new line of dresses for Xmas. Priced from \$3.95 to \$8.50, at Cooley's Gift Shop.

Guy Ried is making a visit for over Christmas at Hart, Muskegon and Grand Rapids.

Mrs. E. J. Olson spent Sunday visiting Miss Ada Freeman and Miss Dorothy Brown at Rochester.

Mrs. David White returned last week from a visit with her daughter Mrs. Lawrence Goodick, of Flint.

Dan Wurzburg of Rockford spent the week end here with Mrs. Wurzburg and daughter Kathryn Yvonne.

Mrs. T. P. Peterson, Mrs. Sigwald Hanson, Mrs. Esbern Olson, and Mrs. Dan Wurzburg were Gaylord callers Saturday.

Silk and satin steppings, dance sets and slips, from 79c to \$2.25. All Christmas boxed, at Cooley's Gift Shop.

Miss Gail Welsh is home from Olivet college to spend the holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred R. Welsh.

Guests over the week end of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Peterson were the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Bromwell, of Lake Leelanau.

Dance at the Lovells Town hall, benefit Cheerful Givers Club, Dec. 27. Music by the "Poki-Dots." 35c per couple. Free lunch.

Alfred Hanson, Chevrolet dealer, delivered two new 1936 town sedans this week, one to Paul Ziebell and the other to Supt. Gerald Poor, and a coach to Gerald Herrick.

A Portable typewriter makes an ideal Christmas gift for boys and girls, and a standard machine for dad's office. Come in and let us show you. Avalanche Office.

There was a large attendance at Grayling Lodge F. & A. M. Wednesday night to witness the installation of officers and also to assist in conferring the third degree on George Burrows. These were followed by a luncheon.

Buy your tickets during the advance sale for the Winter Sports benefit dance, Friday, Dec. 20th, at the school gym. Music by the Poki-Dots. Admission 35c per couple; extra lady free.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Welsh are expected to return home tonight from Delafield, Wis., with their sons Tom and Fred Jr., who will be coming home for the holiday vacation from St. John's Military academy.

If dad needs a new typewriter for his office, come in and let us show you the newest type of L. C. Smith Silent machines. They are wonderful and will last a lifetime. Complete with five decimal tabulators. Avalanche Office.

## Good Crowd Sees The Junior Play

Grayling had a chance Tuesday night to "Meet Uncle Sally," and a good crowd saw nearly two hours of rapid-fire action as the Junior class presented the first play of their scholastic careers with real skill and zest.

The play was well chosen, to begin with. "Meet Uncle Sally" is consistently full of action. Complication is piled upon complication for three hilarious acts, plots and disguises multiply. Smart lines combine with unexpected situations, and the result is mighty good entertainment. To put the drama across also depends upon a cast of characters that can carry the clever dialogue, and go through the complex scenes with precision and skill. Natural ability, combined with training. The Class of '37 set a high standard for itself by its performance of Tuesday night, and Mr. Cecil Roberts, director, made his initial effort a notable one in Grayling. All went smoothly behind the footlights, while the audience rocked in their seats out front.

The troubles start when Ben and Betty Blayne, possessed of a Swedish cook, a rented butler, and a non-appearing rich uncle, decide it is necessary to coerce a college-girl acquaintance to impersonate the missing oilman relative. From there on the brother and sister are well on the road to a collective headache. Their respective fiancés bring with them a possessive old maid aunt who pursues the unfortunate masculine impersonator into an engagement. An osteopathic student, who combines charm with muscle, appears, and treats the wrong party to a violent session, while the second designing female appears in the person of the Dean of Women from the college looking for the missing student. There is even a minister who almost gets a chance to tie a triple knot. Into the middle finally appears the long missing uncle, full of western idioms and covered with artillery. He gets a rather more violent reception than anyone else had gotten, which is not to ignore what happened to the butler. This is not an attempt to reconstruct the plot, but only to show the possibilities for the scenes which were a continuous delight to the appreciative audience.

Twelve Juniors comprised the well chosen cast of characters. Not one but turned in a pleasing contribution, from the major roles down to the shorter parts. Bill Joseph and Monica Hewitt were the harassed brother and sister, and each had a long and difficult part. Each carried it in most convincing style. Elsie Mae LaMotte was "by yimminy," the Swedish cook, more skillful at blackmail than cooking. This was another part well done. The role of Uncle Bill had a difficult task, one of the key parts of the whole play. Mary Gretchen Connine tarried in this role. It was a polished piece of acting which added tremendously to the success of the Junior's play. Margaret Buck and Kermit Charron played nicely opposite Ben and Betty in the youthful romances which made a major part of the foundation of the drama, while Virginia Skingley shone as the romantic old maid interested more or less equally in men and millions. Loren Dunham was the osteopathic bone-breaker. To say that he did this convincingly is mild. The prim and important Dean of women was the part of Evelyn Skingley. She carried this to perfection, while Herbert Feldhauser was a suave and disappointed clergyman. Last but not least was the roaring and abused Uncle Bill, the bonafide he-man from the oil fields—Homer King, in a ten gallon hat and with a regular sized roar.

The entire group of Juniors did themselves proud. There was virtually no prompting and the youthful stars went through their parts with real dispatch, a credit to their director and themselves. The Class of '37 is to be congratulated.

Miss McNeven's school orchestra filled the two periods between acts most acceptably. All in all it was a fine show.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

Those admitted to hospital this week:

Thomas Cramer, Camp AuSable, Co. 681.

Axel Rosquist, Roscommon. John Gross, Grayling.

Those dismissed from hospital this week:

Baby Dorothy Ann McMahon, Gladwin.

Mrs. Laura Marsh, Roscommon.

## SPEARING REGULATIONS

(Dept. of Conservation Press Service)

The two-month season for spearing through the ice opens Jan. 1. This season is open during January and February on all inland waters, except trout streams and waters not otherwise closed to spearing. The use of artificial light while spearing is forbidden.

The species of fish that may legally be taken with the spear are: Carp, suckers, mullet, redhorse, alewife, lake trout, smelt, gray northern pike, muskellunge, pickerel, muskellunge, cisco, whitefish, pike or muskellunge, whitefish, cisco and

## Legion Jottings

The American Legion and Auxiliary and the Drum & Bugle Corps wish to extend to the people of our city a merry Xmas and happy new year and we appreciate the support we have received in the past from our loyal citizens.

## CHURCH SCHOOL PRESENTS CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

The annual Church School program of the Michigan Methodist Church will be presented on Christmas Eve, Dec. 24. The singing of carols will open the program. This will be followed by recitations, dialogues, and songs given by the children of the kindergarten and primary departments under the direction of Mrs. A. Funck and Mrs. Davis.

The children and young people of the junior, intermediate, and high school departments will tell the story of the birth of Christ in song and prose and drama, thus taking the form of a beautiful pageant entitled "The First Christmas Eve."

The pageant is introduced by the singing of Christmas carols by a nine chorus of boys and girls of the junior and intermediate classes. These children have been trained by Mrs. T. P. Peterson and Mrs. Merton Wright.

The role of shepherds will be taken by Edwin Funck, Jerrold Lager, Herbert McDonnell, Robert Welsh and Robert Linker. These boys have been meeting with Mrs. Gerald Poor for training. The angels will be Katherine Peterson, Mildred Craik, Eleanor Bugby, Jeanne Hanson, Emma Papendick, Marjory Korange, Dorothy Skingley, with Jane Ann Martin as the speaker and Audrey Brado as the soloist. John Matthews, as the Egyptian, Edward Martin, the Hindu, and Forrest Brado, as the Greek, will be the Wise Men. Richard Reynolds will take the part of Joseph and Violet Daley that of the Virgin Mary. Beatrice Peterson will play the violin during the pageant. Mrs. T. P. Peterson will be at the piano. Virginia Skingley will be the reader.

Mrs. Fred Welsh and her committee are to decorate the church. Mr. Axel Peterson is in charge of the Christmas treat, which will be distributed by Santa Claus and his helpers in the dining room at the close of the program. Robert Funck, as electrician, is arranging a beautiful lighting effect.

The offering made annually at the Church School Christmas program is known as the White Gifts to the King and will be given to the Children's Home of Detroit, which takes care of needy children from the state of Michigan.

The entire program will be over before nine o'clock, thus permitting the children and their parents to be home early, the children to go to bed early and their parents to spend the evening at home in preparation for Christmas.

Every one is invited to the program and to share in its appreciation of the Christmas story.

## BUY CHRISTMAS SEALS

## FIGHT TUBERCULOSIS

Mrs. E. A. Woodard, Morenci, Mich., writes:

"I can't find words good enough to express my thanks and gratefulness to the Michigan Tuberculosis Assn. for helping me. I'll do my best in taking the Cure."

## MERRY CHRISTMAS



## GREETINGS

Wishing you a Christmas of good cheer and a New Year filled with much happiness.

## Grayling Fuel Company

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## Among the Clerks

(By J. Wellington Bumsted)

Some people lie awake at night worrying about their income tax. Others spend the after-midnight hours worrying where their next meal is coming from—but that isn't what is bothering a certain young man at one of our local restaurants. What seems to be putting the furrows in the many-brow seems to be "I wonder who will take my girl friend to the Winter Sports dance, Friday evening?"

The Colleen sisters, Edith and Lucinda, spent the week end sauntering about the sidewalks of Saginaw. Maybe they were visiting relatives, or it might have been Santa Claus.

"Boots" LaMotte accompanied Lawrence Bauch to Battle Creek last week end to visit his parents.

I would like very much to know just where two of our most prominent clerks are really employed. Both are seen at regular intervals at the Plaza Grill and one of the local drug stores. The most sensible suggestion seems to be that they see a lawyer, or a county clerk or something.

Amos Hoelsi, one of the master minds at the Corwin Garage, made a trip to Gaylord, Monday, to take care of some business matters. His mother, Mrs. Chris Hoelsi, accompanied him.

If it weren't for the fact that one of the Grayling Laundry folk were not soon to take up wifely duties I would suggest that she train for a nurse—having heard reports that she has already proved a great aptitude for handling those who are unable to care for themselves. The little girl has all the requisites—a cool and sympathetic hand, etc.

## SCHOOL VACATION TIME

With holiday vacation just around the corner, most of the local school teachers have made plans for the two weeks. Miss Margaret Douglas will be at her home at Lovells; Miss Olive Peeke had planned to spend her vacation in New York but has decided to visit at Three Rivers and will be a guest at the home of her brother, Raymond Peeke; Miss Eva Dorr will be at her home at Grass Lake.

Miss Josephine Nichols will visit her parents at Lansing. Miss Eleanor Tumath will be a guest of her sister, Mrs. Florence Neelb, at Carrol; Miss Doris Bitler plans to spend her vacation at her home at Mt. Pleasant; Miss Ina Conroy will be at her home at Cheboygan; Miss Marie Cook will be at her home at Alpena; Miss Margaret Geedy at Big Rapids, and Miss Cecelia Faler will visit at her home at Gladwin and will also spend some time at Detroit. Miss Margaret Fyvie will spend her vacation at her home at McMillan; Miss Vivian Hewens will visit at her home at Ypsilanti; Miss Ina Tapio at her home at Calumet; Miss Shirley McNeven at Bay City; and Mr. Cecil Roberts at his home at Onaway.

Supt. and Mrs. Gerald Poor will spend their Christmas vacation at Livingston and Eaton Rapids, visiting the homes of both of their parents.

Many beautiful Christmas features and stories by James Hilton, Booth Tarkington, Joseph Auslander, Harlan T. Stetson, Patterson Dial, Ruth Comfort Mitchell and Ernest Poole appear in This Week, the Magazine with Sunday's Detroit News. Watch for it!

## HEALTH AND HYGIENE

(By Joint Commission on Health Education)

About one-half of the cases of pneumonia develop following the common cold, bronchitis, or tonsillitis. An acute infection in the nose and throat commonly involves the air passages of the upper lungs and unless the proper care is taken, pneumonia may result.

The prevention of pneumonia depends, to a certain extent, upon avoiding colds and the lowered resistance of the body. While these are the points we strive for, neither can be fully carried out in practice.

There is some evidence that a heavy dosage of germs increases the severity of the disease which follows so that close proximity to people with colds is to be avoided. Over-crowded rooms, poor ventilation, and sudden changes in weather are factors in producing colds apart from individual resistance. In certain cases, fatigue definitely plays a part, especially in the development of pneumonia. Children who are undernourished or who already carry a latent infection in the respiratory tract, are likely to develop pneumonia.

The first treatment for a cold is to go to bed before fatigue appears. This gives the body the opportunity to marshal its resources to fight the infection. Anyone experienced with colds soon learns that the nasal secretions are much less if one remains quiet and warm. In the acute state, the slightest change in body temperature seems to bring a flood of secretion.

If natural sleep can be secured, colds seem to improve rapidly. An abundance of fluids is necessary. Small children will take sweetened fruit juice when food or water is refused, and it prevents the possible development of acidosis.

## DOWN MEMORY'S LANE!

When you drink

A bottle of

ALTES LAGER

You'll say—

"That's the good

Old-time flavor

Sure enough!"

**Altes Lager**

Made by  
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Leon Chappel, Distributor

Grayling, Mich.

## South Side Locals

Katherine Charron is ill with a bad cold and has been unable to be at school.

Don't buy cheap Ski Boots; it doesn't pay; see the best at Olson's.

Miss Margaret Buck had as her guest Saturday, Dale Sergeant, of Roscommon.

Mrs. A. L. Roberts left Sunday for a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Mabel Hoffman, at Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack VanCleave and son Erwin have moved into the Mrs. A. J. Bennett apartment.

Middle LaMotte was unable to work the first of the week, because of an attack of rheumatism.

Three pair men's 35c English Ribbed Wool dress Sox for \$1.00, boxed, at Sam's Toggery Shop.

Last Thursday, Mrs. Clarence VanAmberg enjoyed a visit from her cousin, Colon Giester, of Roscommon.

Mrs. Andrew Beck and son Murvel left yesterday to spend a couple of days visiting relatives at Rose City.

Mrs. Walter Nelson, of Gaylord, spent Wednesday of last week visiting at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. A. L. Roberts.

"Mrs. Floyd SanCartier entertained the G.G.S.C. at her home, Wednesday evening. The evening was spent pleasantly after which Mrs. SanCartier served a lovely lunch.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Broadbent and the latter's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. George Huey, of Roscommon, attended the funeral of Charles Bergey, Friday, near Gaylord.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Sherwood, of Detroit, spent the week end visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Bielski. They were accompanied here by Mrs. Bielski and daughter Rose and Miss Rose Newell, who had been visiting with relatives and friends.

Thomas Thompson and son Everett, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kekko, of Lewiston, visited Sunday at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Tahvonen and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Randolph and daughter Joan spent the week end at Bay City, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Barber. Miss Irene Randolph accompanied them and went on to Saginaw to visit Stanley Stephan and also Mrs. Harold Trahan.

Lyman Williams returned Sunday evening from Mt. Pleasant, where he had been attending a convention of the Chippewa tribe at the Indian reservation there. Representatives were present from many states, including Oklahoma and other western states. Among the business matters brought up at that time was an attempt to change the reservation name from "Chippewa-Tribe-Swan Creek-Black River-Saginaw Bend" to the much shorter term, "Chippewa By The Bend." However, because state laws prevent, they were unable to do this. Mr. Williams also related many other interesting things that took place at the convention.

## H. S. 1935-6 Basket Ball Schedule

December 20—Charlevoix—Here.

January 3—Kalkaska—There.

January 7—Bozette—Here.

January 10—West Branch—There.

January 14—Roscommon—Here.

January 17—Mancelona—There.

January 21—Gaylord—There.

January 24—Alpena—Here.

January 31—Bozette—There.

February 4—East Jordan—Here.

February 11—Gaylord—Here.

February 14—Roscommon—There.

February 21—West Branch—Here.

RESERVES

January 28 at Grayling



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1935 Christmas Good Wishes 1936

## Foreword

Right as the blazing Yule, splendid as the candles in the Tabernacle, holy as the lights that burned through the Sacred mysteries, Christmas is with us once again.

For as the Scriptures declare—light cometh in the midst of darkness so in the darkest season do we celebrate our brightest day. Though earth be wrapped in the chill of frost and the sun has lost its power to heat—our hearts are warmed and our spirits glow with the thoughts that Christmas brings.

To the spirit of the Season do we commend you—and following the custom of the time, convey our best wishes for a Merry Christmas and a happy one. May the spirit which is upon us bless you—and give you your heart's desire. May the year which is approaching favor you with every happiness it can bestow.

**Grayling**  
**5c to \$1.00 Store**

## New Ice Fishing Regulations

(Dept. of Conservation Press Service)

Michigan's new ice-fishing regulations for inland waters, which have been the subject of controversy in sportsmen's circles, will go into effect throughout the state Jan. 1.

The new regulations limit the inland-lake fishermen to the use of two ice-lines with not more than one hook attached to each line and require that these lines be held in the hand or under immediate control.

The regulations also apply to the "tip-up" or any similar mechanical device used for the taking of fish from the inland waters. No more than two "tip-ups" may be used by an individual fisherman and these must be under immediate control.

There is one exception to these regulations, explained Fred A. Westerman, chief of Michigan's fisheries operations. Smelt fishermen in recognized smelt waters are also restricted to the use of two lines, but may use any number of hooks on a line.

The two-line regulations, however, do not apply to the Great Lakes or connecting wa-

## Camp Fire Girls Notes

Our meeting of the 6th, 7th, and 8th grades was held last Friday at Mrs. Flory's. Twenty-one were present at her home. We made plans for our Christmas party, and now have them completed. The party is to take place Friday, December 20th at the church. We expect to show the young boys and girls a very pleasant evening.

Misses Jayne Keyport and Georgiana Olson were our guests again last week, and are helping us very much in planning our party. They offered to get the names of some small boys and girls, and are sending them their invitations. We have a committee of our girls for table decorations, to plan games, etc. We are sure Santa Claus will be there.

Our Camp Fire books have arrived and each member is getting her book. We have taken in one new member, making twenty-three in all in our 6, 7, and 8th-grade group.

Mrs. Flory closed our meeting during which all members of the Camp Fire Girls wished every one a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Mildred Craft, Camp Fire Reporter.

ters of the Great Lakes where five ice-lines, the number allowed last winter, is still legal.

## FREDERIC SCHOOL

Some of the Physics students would appreciate some convincing points, that they can pass along to their fellow students on whether air is or is not elastic. We have given them some very good examples (at least we think they were) that air is elastic: A basketball filled with compressed air will bounce, whereas when the air is allowed to escape from the ball, it will no longer bounce.

Dr. Brown (Joe E. Brown) alias Lewis Murphy, is being kept exceedingly busy caring for the many bruises that the little basketball enthusiasts from Mrs. Smith's room receive while playing basketball.

Friday afternoon we had a pep meeting preparing to go to the games at Gaylord and Alba.

Friday night the girls played a basketball game at Gaylord with the St. Mary's girls. The Fredric girls were victorious with a score of 22-20. Miss Brooks went to the Sugar Bowl restaurant with the girls where they were given a little treat. We wish to express our thanks.

Friday night the boys played basketball with the first and second teams of Alba. The second team won their game, having a score of 15-9. The first team was not so lucky and lost their game by a score of 12-10. After the games the boys and girls met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sim J. Lewis where a delightful lunch was served, and the night's undertakings discussed by the girls and boys. We, the students, wish to thank Mr. and Mrs. Lewis and all those who helped to make the occasion a happy one. We should like to have you accept our apology for our very dull looks, as Friday is quite a strenuous day for us.

We were very pleased to have Mr. Leo Close as our guest on Monday. He told us of some very good reasons for having an education. Spoke of the different means of travel, and how much more the American people traveled than those of Europe. He told us of interesting occupations of other people, and the crops they raised in different districts.

**Commercial Law Class**  
Our eight-name student says his wife is going to buy her own groceries and now what she needs, however he will pay for them. He also proposed to Minerva Sanborn. But he then decided that he couldn't make such a contract as he is only an infant in the eyes of the law. Otis Feldhauser says his wife is going to purchase and pay for everything with her money. A warning to BEWARE, we believe.

Would someone be kind enough to tell Jack Dunkley why married women don't stay at home. He seems to be quite concerned about the matter—perhaps he is contemplating marriage as he is calling Minerva "honeybunch."

Friday afternoon we had a pep meeting in preparation for the basketball games with Johannesburg. The first and second teams were victorious. The second team score was 17-14; the first team's, 29-12. After the games a lunch was served to the young people from Johannesburg, and the local students, and dancing took place in the gym.

We have a new scholar in the twelfth grade, Louise Vollmer, who enrolled last week.

**Boys Basketball Schedule**  
December 20—Grayling—There.  
January 14—Grayling—There.  
January 14—Wolverine—Here.  
January 21—Alba—Here.  
January 24—Johannesburg—There.  
January 29—Vanderbilt—Here.  
January 31—Open.  
February 7—Open.  
February 14—Wolverine—There.  
February 21—Grayling—There.  
February 28—Open.

It has been estimated by geologists that the inland lakes of Michigan constitute about one-fifth the total area of the state.

## MICKIE SAYS—

JUDGIN' BY TH' HASTY WAY SOME BIZNESS MEN WRITE THEIR ADS, THEY DON'T REALIZE THATS TH' MOST IMPORTANT THING THEY DO



## Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

Thursday, December 19, 1912

Edward Strehl has arrived from Mancelona and is going to take a position in Collen's restaurant.

Mrs. William Herrick and baby of Fenton, arrived last week to visit friends and look after some business matters. She will be better remembered here as Miss Gladys Hadley, who taught music here for many years.

Carl Sorenson is home from Detroit where he has been ill for some time. He will remain here until after the holidays.

About forty people, relatives and friends of Mr. Louis LaMotte, surprised him at his home, last Saturday evening, it being his sixty-first birthday.

C. Penn has moved in the house he just built.

Mrs. O. Derry has recovered from a severe illness.

John Dixon is confined at home with illness.

Mrs. Peter Jensen, Sr., is at Mercy Hospital, undergoing an operation.

Mrs. Bert Chappel is at West Branch—helping to take care of her brother.

E. R. Clark is out again, after being confined to his home for ten days with pleurisy and lumbago.

K. W. Brink went to Bay City Tuesday to purchase his supply of Christmas vegetables.

Miss Elizabeth Salling arrived from Detroit last Friday, where she has been visiting her sister Marian for the past two weeks.

The members of the Married Peoples Card club were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pond Tuesday evening. Favors were won by Mrs. Scott Loader and H. C. Schmidt, seconds by Mrs. C. Game and S. Phelps Jr.

Mrs. Henry Bauman and Mrs. Victor Salling went to Detroit Tuesday to spend a few days; also to meet Miss Margrethe Bauman who is on her way home from Lassell Seminary, Auburn, Mass., to spend her holiday vacation.

Miss Marion Salling, who is teaching in the Detroit Conservatory of Music is expected to return to Grayling with the others.

Mrs. C. C. Westcott and children, Hanson and Helen, arrived Friday and are the guests of Mrs. Westcott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Hanson. Dr. Westcott came Monday night.

O. F. Barnes, secretary of the Crawford County Commercial association, has been giving some of his personal assistance to Governor Elliot.

Many other things and doing numerous other things. He also has been keeping in close touch with the progress toward locating the National Guard Military camp here, and doing many other good things in the interest of the association.

R. Hanson made a business trip to Johannesburg Tuesday. Svend Hanson left last week for Detroit, where he has obtained work in an automobile factory.

Word has been received here announcing the birth of a baby boy to Mr. and Mrs. A. Engler, of Madison, Wis., on December 14. Mrs. Engler will be remembered here as Margaret Fischer.

The S.G.C. were entertained at the home of Miss Frida Olson in honor of her birthday, last evening.

The piano pupils of Miss Edith McPhee gave a recital at the home of Mrs. A. M. Lewis last evening. Parents of pupils were invited guests.

Miss Margaret Hemmingson, who has been working in Johannesburg for some time, is home again, and is the new clerk at Simpson's grocery store.

Miss L. M. Sias will leave for her home in Midland next Tuesday to visit her mother and expects to be absent about two months, during which time the millinery store will be closed.

President and Mrs. T. W. Hanson and baby Virginia, spent Saturday and Sunday in Bay City.

Miss Johanna Hendrickson was absent from the post office one day last week on account of illness.

D. S. N. Insley gave an old-fashioned Grayling stag party last Tuesday evening, in honor of Dr. C. C. Westcott, of Ewen.

The young people of this city were somewhat surprised last week when the marriage of two popular young people was announced in the names of Miss Anna W. Lesprance and Mr. Ernest R. Woodburn, son of Mrs. J. B. Woodburn, which took place last Thursday evening.

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Meaning of "Reprisal"  
"Reprisal" refers to the retaking from an enemy goods which he has seized, or capturing from him other goods as an equivalent for the damage he has inflicted.

Our big track of hardwood timber northwest of this village will soon be a thing of the past, same as our lofty pines have been. F. B. Ward has a camp located about 2 1/2 miles from town. Sandy Harvey, as foreman, with his crew of 80 men, make it lay lower every day.

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Chevrolet's one millionth car of 1935 production is to be presented to the owner of the oldest Chevrolet licensed and in regular use in the United States, and the cooperation of America's leading newspapers and every one of the 10,000 Chevrolet dealers has been enlisted to discover this car and its owner.

The one millionth Chevrolet built within the current year came off the assembly line at Flint, Mich., on Dec. 12, just eight days after Chevrolet produced its eleven millionth car since the beginning of the company.

Presentation of the millionth car of the year—a 1935 Standard coach—will be made to the owner whose Chevrolet is discovered,

## Deer Hunting Is Great Sport

Northern Michigan Calls Thousands Of Hunters Each Fall

The editor this year had the pleasure of going north to hunt deer, and with Amos Hamilton enjoyed five days of a real vacation.

Our destination was planned before we left Homer and in four hours drove into Grayling in Crawford County and were greeted by O. P. Schumann, editor of the Crawford Avalanche, who directed us to the rural home of Mr. and Mrs. George Skingley, 7 miles east of Grayling and in very good deer hunting territory.

The first morning ye editor had a very good shot at a buck deer and did not register. We saw seventeen deer in all, mostly does.

Hunting is not the only sport and enjoyment one gets out of going north each fall. On Sunday afternoon we were taken to the famous old AuSable river, well known by all the old lumbermen and now unequalled for trout fishing. The pines along the river and other northern scenery are certainly beautiful. Many estates are located on this river belonging to Detroit and Chicago parties who spend their summer vacations in this beautiful country.

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**NOTICE**  
Township taxes are payable beginning Dec. 10th. I will be at Grayling Greenhouses from 8 a. m. until 5 p. m. for collection of same.  
12-5-4 Ernest Borchers, Treas.

**MORTGAGE SALE**  
Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by William H. Mosher and Hattie B. Mosher, husband and wife to William Lenartz and Freda Lenartz dated the 21st day of February A. D. 1925, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the county of Crawford and State of Michigan, on the 21st day of February A. D. 1925 in Liber I of mortgages, on page 381 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of three hundred fifteen and 34/100 dollars, and an attorney's fee as provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Notice Is Hereby Given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on Saturday the 8th day of February, A. D. 1936, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will, at the front door of the courthouse in the City of Grayling, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the county of Crawford is held, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with seven per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with said attorney's fee, to wit:

Lot one of block eight of Hadley's Second Addition to the Village of Grayling, now City of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan.

William Lenartz and Freda Lenartz, Mortgagees.

Merle F. Nellist, Attorney for Mortgagees, Grayling, Michigan. 11-14-13

Earthworms multiply by producing eggs which are laid in capsules in the ground. The young become fully grown in four or five months.

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**MAC & GIDLEY**  
REGISTERED PHARMACISTS  
Phones  
18 and 341 Grayling

**PROBATE COURT**  
Crawford County, Mich.  
Sessions:—First and Third Monday of every month.  
Hours—9:00 to 11:00 a. m., and 1:30 to 5:00 p. m.  
Any information and first Proceedings in connection with this Court will be had at my office at Sorenson Bros.  
GEORGE SORENSON  
Judge of Probate

**CHARLES E. MOORE**  
Attorney at Law  
Offices in former Geo. L. Alexander Office Bldg.  
HOURS—9:00 A. M. to 12 Noon 2:00 to 5:00 P. M.  
Or by appointment.  
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Dentist  
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Evenings by appointment.  
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PHYSICIANS and SURGEONS  
Office Hours—2 to 4; 7 to 8 p. m.  
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**Grayling State Savings Bank**  
Bank Money Orders. Interest paid on deposits. Collections and general banking business. Phone 22-J.  
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## TO OUR PATRONS

It seems appropriate as the year of 1935 draws to a close that we extend to you our hearty appreciation and thanks for the

# BIG CARNIVAL DANCE



Saturday  
Dec. 21st

With Johnny Kennedy  
and his

Chicago Melody  
Masters

Six entertaining artists, featuring Harry Shell, The Acrobatic Drummer.

Roberta Culler and Marjory Kennedy Vocalists  
Bill Hopkins, formerly of the Chicago Symphony, Trumpet Soloist

Piano Novelty Numbers. Tap Dancing.  
FAVORS—Noise Makers, and Serpentine.  
Free At Gate

Everybody come for a big evening of pleasure.  
Admission: 50c per couple; Extra Ladies 10c

**TAVERN OF THE TOWN**  
Roscommon, Michigan

## SCHOOL NEWS

During the past week the Kindergarten has been busy making presents for their mothers and fathers. They are having a Christmas party this week.

The first grade has made memorandum pads to give to their mothers; also Christmas cards. They are having a party with the pupils of Miss Fyvie's room.

The pupils of Miss Conboy's room have made attractive Christmas cards. They are having a party with the pupils in Miss Fahler's room on Friday afternoon.

Miss Bittler's pupils have a lovely Christmas tree in their room which they trimmed themselves. They are having a party Friday. They have made attractive needle-cases for their mothers.

Miss Hewen's class has made stencil Christmas cards in Art class. They are to have a Christmas party Friday afternoon.

Miss Douglas' class has made Christmas mats and Santa Claus for decorations for their room. They are to have a party Friday afternoon. For entertainment there will be songs, recitations, and tap dancing.

All the rooms have large trees, attractively trimmed.

**8th Grade Girls Give Tea**  
The 8th Grade girls gave their tea for their mothers and teachers Tuesday in the Home Economics room from 4 until 6 o'clock.

**Home Ec. Clubs Give Parties**  
Wednesday and Thursday afternoon the Home Ec. clubs are giving parties for the underprivileged children in the Home Economics rooms. Each child will receive a small gift and a treat prepared by the girls.

On Wednesday evening, Dec. 18, the Home Ec. club had a party. New members were invited.

**A Study in Citizenship**  
A matter which concerns the public today is "Safety" and right now the Civics 10 students are concerned with it. We have just started, as regular class work, the book "Safe and Sane Use of Highways," by Thomas Allen, who is director of traffic safety of the city of Superior, Wisconsin.

It gives us an understanding of the highway traffic problem, a part of the solution of the present use of public highways, the

regulations for pedestrians, the laws for the operation of vehicles, the requirements and regulations regarding the equipment on vehicles, and some miscellaneous highway traffic regulations.

Along with this book is "The Learning Cycle Practice Books." It contains projects and problems pertaining to all users of highways, who are drivers, passengers and pedestrians.

For our bulletin board we are collecting pictures and articles of safety and safe practices. The bulletin board committee this week is Billy Lowe and Lyman LaVack.

From this study we are learning some interesting but astounding facts and figuring out interesting traffic problems.

**Grayling Band Played At Game**  
The Grayling Band, in true spirit, played at the basketball game between Grayling and Kalkaska here Friday night.

This fine spirit helped pep up the crowd, and was certainly appreciated by all.

**New Score Box Is Painted**

Our new score box has been painted in green and white and adds a cheerful atmosphere to the gym.

**Movement For Selling Season Tickets**

Any student who sells one adult season basketball ticket will receive a free ticket into all of our remaining home games. Adult season tickets cost \$1.25.

## Charlevoix Here Friday, Dec. 20

Coach Ray "Stub" Kipke, brother of Harry Kipke, head football coach at the University of Michigan, brings his Charlevoix high school basketball charges here Friday night to clash with our Northern Lights. Charlevoix has been rated the outstanding team in the North by numerous coaches and newspapers. For six years they have had a winning team and are feared by many class "B" outfits. They have an outstanding forward in the person of Pearl, who is fast and clever. The battle Friday night is undoubtedly the feature game of the season and should be witnessed by a large number of fans.

Grayling and East Jordan, at present, are tied for the lead in the Northern "C" Conference with two wins each and no defeats. As yet Charlevoix has not participated in a conference game, so they will be starting their conference schedule here Friday night. East Jordan and Harbor Springs meet in the only other conference game.

Standings of the conference teams and results of the games compiled by the conference secretary will be published weekly in the Avalanche.

**Grayling Defeats Kalkaska**  
Last Friday night Grayling easily defeated an inexperienced Kalkaska squad by the score of 34-2. Kalkaska was set down

in a single field goal as Grayling went away. Kalkaska got their two points by scoring free throws in the third and fourth quarters. The Grayling second team also won their game by swamping the Kalkaska reserves, 20-1.

	FG	FT	PF	TP
Brady, rf.	1	0	4	2
Lovely, rf.	5	0	1	10
Smock (c) lf.	3	2	1	8
Borchers, c	0	0	0	0
Dunham, c	0	0	1	0
Chalker, rg	3	1	0	7
Murphy, rg	0	0	0	0
G. Hanson, lg	2	1	0	5
Jorgenson, lg	0	0	0	0
B. Hanson, rf	1	0	0	2
Total	15	4	7	34
Kalkaska—2				
Clark, rf	0	0	0	0
Fudge, rf	0	0	0	0
Armstrong, lf	0	0	0	0
Osborn, lf	0	0	0	0
Rosenberg, c	1	1	1	1
Thicker, rg	0	1	1	1
MacKeller, lg	0	0	1	0
Totals	0	2	3	2

	FG	FT	PF	TP
G.H.S. Reserves—20				
B. Hanson, rf.	0	1	1	1
Peterson, rf	1	0	1	2
Jorgenson, lf	1	0	2	2
H. Smock, lf	0	1	0	0
Joseph, c	2	0	1	4
Ward, c	2	0	0	4
Charron, rg	1	0	0	2
Rowen, rg	0	1	0	1
Murphy, lg	0	0	0	0
Coutts, lg	2	0	0	4
Totals	8	2	4	20

	FG	FT	PF	TP
Kalkaska Reserves—1				
Parker, rf	0	1	1	1
McCullen, rf	0	0	0	0
Smith, lf	0	0	0	0
Leach, c	0	0	3	0
Hinds, rg	0	0	0	0
Cross, rg	0	0	0	0
Tamerson, lc	0	0	0	0
Totals	0	1	4	1

## LOVELLS

Mr. and Mrs. Mike McCormick have moved into Mrs. Papenfus' house and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Nephew have moved to the J. W. Anderson Lodge.

George Brand of Detroit spent a few days in Lovells. Week before last the Cheerful Givers met with Mrs. Fred Rowe. Last week they met with Mrs. Lola Papenfus.

Mrs. Howard Huffman and children visited a few days with her mother, Mrs. Lola Papenfus.

Those on the sick list are Lovell Monnie, and Lorna Deer Nephew, Forrest Dale and Darwin Gregg, Mrs. John Selley, and Mrs. E. J. Thompson.

John Steinmich of Detroit, and a party of friends, enjoyed the week end at the Steinmich cabin, known as Deer's Paradise.

## Camp News

### CAMP HIGGINS LAKE

Lieut. Gordon C. Gill has requested he be relieved from active duty with the CCC December 31 to accept civilian employment at Kalamazoo. He reported here for duty on May 15 of this year and has had various assignments on camp duties since then. At present he is post exchange, transportation, and assistant supply officer. He and Mrs. Gill have made their home in Grayling since his assignment here.

Authorities in CCC headquarters are urging all enrollees to have their fingerprints taken and filed for identification purposes. Lieut. Katzman has charge of this work for Camp Higgins Lake and the fingerprinting is being done by the first aid men, Harry Nystrom and Carl Osterlund.

Four men of this organization were sent to Camp Custer for the boxing tournament there December 18. They were Rudolph Harrison, John Pociask, Stanley Jayon, and Elmer Welch. John Matczewski also qualified for entry but did not care to enter the Camp Custer tournament. Camp Higgins Lake took four of the eight titles in the tournament held at Grayling December 7. The group was coached by Lieut. S. H. Cropp, who was also at Camp Custer with the men.

The Director of Emergency Conservation Work has requested the Director of CCC Camp Education to collect from the camps interesting stories on how enrollees have been benefited or materially aided by the Civilian Conservation Corps. It is expected this camp will be able to furnish these authorities a number of interesting papers on this subject.

Christmas holiday leaves start December 21, but unless it is necessary to make up time lost from work during the week, the men will be permitted to leave for home December 20 following work. It is anticipated over half the men in camp will take advantage of this holiday leave, which expires at midnight, December 26. New Year leaves start December 28 and expire January 2 at midnight. No enrollee is entitled to both leaves. These are vacations with pay.

The work of putting aluminum foil on the ceiling of the new mess hall is completed and the celotex for the walls will probably be nailed on during the week. Capt. Murphy's class in carpentry is doing the work. The interior of the shower room is also being improved with paint.

Lieut. G. M. Katzman, and Adviser L. B. Merritt have been appointed first aid instructors for his camp by the American Red Cross headquarters at St. Louis.

### CAMP AUSABLE

The following letter was sent to former enrollees of Camp Ausable with a mimeographed card enclosed. The card carried a questionnaire for the ex-CCC's to fill out and return. Over two hundred such letters were sent out:

"Dear Fellows:  
Camp Ausable wishes you a Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year.  
We hope that you have had success since leaving the CCC camp and will continue in your good luck.  
To assist in a summary of ex-enrollees we would appreciate our filling out the enclosed card and returning it.  
Sincerely,  
COMPANY 881."

Several replies have been received and more are expected in the near future.

Photographic supplies have arrived and plans are being made for a class along that line. Photographer C. E. Hagel, formerly with the National Geographic Magazine, will assist in organizing a class.

A class of twenty-seven in first aid has been organized. Red Cross certificates will be given at the end of fifteen lessons to those passing the test.

Arrangements are to be made the first of the year for the Journalism class to visit the Avalanche office to learn about printing.

The December 20th issue of the "Ausable News" Camp Ausable's paper, will be printed in red ink. It is to be a special number.

New Assistant Leaders in Camp Ausable are: Dallas Arbaugh, Milton Rodgers, and Everett Pyle. These men have proven themselves worthy of such promotion and will hold these ratings as long as they uphold the standards of their positions.

The four fighters who went to Camp Custer last week to participate in the eliminations there returned Saturday to Camp Ausable. They all lost at Custer but are ready to fight again at the earliest opportunity.

Dr. Brotman, 1st Lt. Med-Res. arrived at Camp Ausable Monday from Co. 664, Camp Houghton Lake, to take over the duties of Camp Surgeon.

### HARTWICK FINES

The members of the Hunt and Fish Club, Hartwick, last week Monday. Delicious rabbit was served together with many other good things. Lt. Pierson,

## To the Depositors of the Defunct Bank of Grayling:

A liquidation dividend of 7% will be paid

## December 19th

1935, by Bay Trust Company, Assignee.  
Please call for your check as soon as convenient at our Bank.

## Grayling State Savings Bank

ESBERN HANSON, Pres.

JOHN BRUUN, Vice-Pres.

MARGRETHE NIELSEN, Cashier

Mr. Saunders and Mr. Smith were guests.

Dr. A. M. Guttlied, who has been attached to this company for nearly a year has been transferred to Camp Kalkaska. We are all sorry to have him leave Hartwick Pines.

Victor Marchewka, who has been in the company twenty-three months, was discharged Monday to accept employment in Detroit. Vic has been our mess steward for many months and we shall miss him and his dry humor.

We have completed our course in meat-cutting, having demonstrated the cutting of beef, pork and veal. We appreciate Mr. Dickerson's interest in giving his time to us.

Most of the men desiring Christmas leaves will leave camp for their homes Saturday,

December 21st. Those who prefer to be at home New Year may go the following week. In either case each man will have five days leave with pay.

Mr. Smith will leave Monday to visit his mother over the holidays.

### POWER COMPANY WINDOWS IN UNIQUE DRESS

Using indirect colorful lighting, the employees of the Michigan Public Service Company present a Christmas window heretofore not produced. This window made attractive by indirect lighting thru means of special colored lamps and scientific spacing, unfolds a very pretty winter scene in front of a pale yellow moon. A Christmas group in coach style appears as a silhouette directly in front of the old style English home. Surrounding this scene, Westinghouse household electric appliances adorn the foreground with a large Westinghouse sign "For Christmas and for Happiness, Westinghouse Appliances."

Outstanding in the large artificial snowbank which occupies the center of their large window, a "Yuletide Greetings" is blazoned forth by means of indirect red color.

This work is the result of the labor of Gale Clise, local serviceman who worked many hours perfecting this advanced lighting system, and the idea was conceived by Don Reynolds, local manager.

**Most Fish Shed Teeth**  
Most fish have teeth, shed them many times during their life and always grow new ones to replace them.

**Chief Justice Votes**  
The chief justice of the Supreme court votes on decisions the same as the associate justices.

# ZENITH

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Give every Zenith Radio better all-round performance. Chassis designed for Zenith 1936 metaglas or metal tubes. Interchangeable with Metal Tubes.

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Without overtones, sound cannot be rich and full. Ordinary radio often fails to bring out overtones. Zenith's ingenious invention brings you music and voice with natural overtones intact.

**TRIPLE FILTERING**

Takes noise out of radio music or talk just as a water filter takes dirt out of water. Result: Clear, sparkling, noiseless reception.

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Install a Zenith Doublet Antenna for greater distance—better reception

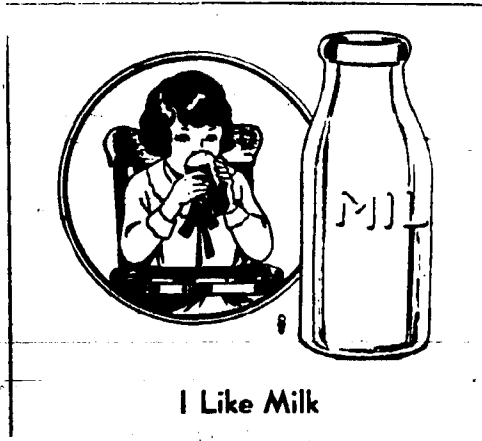
Features? Yes its new and unusual features, plus service-free engineering, are prompting your neighbors to look at, buy and recommend the Zenith long distance radio. . . . Your friends will applaud your choice of a new Zenith—for they're all talking about it. . . . Why not come in today? Find out for yourself. Listen to these Zenith radios. Discover what the features aimed above mean to YOU.

Sorenson's Furniture Store

## MERRY CHRISTMAS

Say, folks, the Grayling Dairy wants me to wish you a Merry Christmas and a prosperous year in 1936. At the same time they want to thank you, one and all, for your loyal support during the past year. Every bottle of milk you have bought has been appreciated by them.

Christmas is a great time to think of good things. I sure like Old Santa Claus, and I'm



I Like Milk

telling you, folks, if you're getting your milk from Grayling Dairy you're not making a mistake. Mother gets our milk from them and it has kept us healthy and full of pep. We're all set for Christmas.

**Grayling Dairy**

Phone 91